CITY OF NEWPORT

RESOLUTION NO. 3723

A Resolution Setting Stormwater Utility Fees And Repealing Resolution No. 3682

<u>Findings</u>

- A. The City of Newport operates stormwater utilities that provide services to right-of-ways and properties within the city and to some right-of-ways and properties within the city's urban growth boundary.
- B. Newport Municipal Code Chapter 5.20 governs the operation and use of the stormwater utility. NMC Section 5.20.040 authorizes the City Council to set charges for stormwater service by resolution.
- C. The rates established by this resolution are calculated to cover the costs of stormwater service, including amounts to pay for the operation, maintenance, repair, necessary replacement, and improvement of the system, but do not generate revenue above what is needed for sound operation and management of the stormwater system.

Based on these findings, the City of Newport resolves as follows:

Section 1. Stormwater Utility Fee

A. The charges imposed in this Section 1 apply to properties that have metered city water service.

Each customer shall pay a stormwater utility fee. The fees are set as follows:

Water Meter Size Monthly Stormwater Utility Fee
All meter sizes \$7.90

Irrigation-only meters will be exempt from the stormwater utility fee.

Section 2. This Resolution repeals Resolution No. 3682 in its entirety.

Section 3. Effective Date

The effective date of this resolution is July 1, 2015. As applied to monthly bills, the change shall be based on the date of billing, not the date of service.

Adopted by the Newport City Council on June 15, 2015.

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Sandra N. Roumagoux, Mayor

ATTEST:

Margaret M. Hawker, City Recorder